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To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Assistant Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a Nonprovisional Utility Patent Application for a New Application entitled:

METHODS FOR ANALYZING INTEGRATED CIRCUITS AND APPARATUS THEREFOR  
by:

Supamas Sirichotiyakul et al.

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X     5   sheets of drawings and  29  pages of specification.

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       Enter the unentered 37 C.F.R. §1.116 amendment filed in the prior application.

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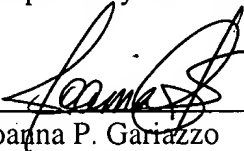
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Respectfully submitted,

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